(b) if so, the details thereof, city-wise;

(c) the amount of Central funds released during the current year; and

(d) the details of utilization of funds, city-wise?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI AJAY MAKEN): (a) to (c) Yes, Sir. The following numbers of proposals have been received from Andhra Pradesh under Jawaharlal Nehru National Urban Renewal Mission (JNNURM):

(i)	Hyderabad	—	21
(ii)	Vijayawada	—	10
(iii)	Vishakhapatnam	—	13

Under the Urban Infrastructure Development Scheme for Small and Medium Towns (UIDSSMT) proposals from 12 towns as on 31.7.06 have been received. Under JNNURM Rs. 1242.93 lakh has been released during the current financial year. No funds have been released during the current financial year under UIDSSMT because the respective states proposed to be covered under UIDSSMT have not been able to sign MoA with concerned cities.

(d) Utilization certificates in respect of the funds released are yet to be received from the State.

Allotment of land to NGOs and Welfare Societies

1761. SHRI GANDHI AZAD: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Delhi Development Authority allots land to NGOs/ Societies and Welfare Associations;

(b) if so, the names of such beneficiaries and places where such allotments have been made between 1998 to date;

(c) the area and rate on which such lands were allotted;

(d) the number of letters received from "All India Association for SC/ST & Physically Handicapped People Upliftment" for allotment of land in last three years by D.D.A.; and

(e) the action taken thereon till now?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI AJAY MAKEN): (a) to (e) The information is beign collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

Illegal business activities in residential areas

†1762. SHRIMATI PREMA CARIAPPA: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Hon'ble High Court have expressed its disapproval for restarting of business activities in residential areas;

(b) whether Government are aware that illegal business like car repairing and denting-painting work in residential areas of South Delhi is being carried out and thereby causing noise and air pollution; and

(c) if so, the details thereof and the concrete measures taken to impose a total ban on such business?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI AJAY MAKEN): (a) to (c) The Municipal Corporation of Delhi (MCD) has reported that the Hon'ble High Court of Delhi in an order dated 14.5.2004 had observed that auto-repairing shops, car-repairing and denting-painting shops are running without licence and using public footpaths and public roads, thereby causing congestion for smooth flow of traffic and directed that show-cause notice be given to those shops which have not got licences to stop such usage forthwith failing which their licence be removed. Accordingly the MCD had sealed 16 shops during 2004.

The Delhi Development Authority (DDA) has reported that in cases where misuse of residential flats/built up plots are detected, action is taken up under the terms and conditions of lease and also under provisions of Delhi Government Act, 1957 for violation of Master Plan.

Elevated Light Metro System for Kochi

1763. SHRI K. CHANDRAN PILLAI: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government of Kerala submitted for clearance an Elevated Light Metro System in Kochi;

(b) if so, the details of the project;

† Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.